

1893-008 Chancery Causes: H. C. Slump vs. Exr. of William D. Jones & Lee Co.

Chace, Allen, Cormack, McGeorge, French, Jones, Jewell

CA-Debt
T-Property

1 To the Hon. H. S. K. Mouser
2 Judge of the Circuit Court of
3 Lee County Virginia:

4 Your Orator H. C. Slump, who
5 humbly complaining would
6 respectfully represent, that on
7 the 17th, day of December 1887
8 one Wm D. Jones executed to C.
9 Slump his writing obligatory
10 payable three years after date
11 for the sum of two hundred
12 dollars, which was and is
13 a part of the purchase money
14 for a tract of land situated in
15 Lee County Virginia on the West
16 side of Walden Ridge, near
17 the Wild Cat valley - on which
18 said tract of land the said C.
19 Slump retains a lien for the
20 purchase money thereof. And
21 the said C. Slump has also as-
22 signed to your orator an other
23 note for said land for an
24 equal amount which will
25 fall due, Dec. 18th 1891, no part
26 of either one of these notes has
27 ever been paid to your orator
28 the said C. Slump, W. H. Armstrong
29 or H. Harris who at different
30 times has been the owner thereof
31 but the same is now the property
of your orator.

1 your creditor alleges that said lien
2 is retained by said L. Slomp en-
3 tirely to the benefit of your estate
4 to the extent he owes the purchase
5 money and that said lien on said
6 land is to that extent equitable
7 your creditor and enforceable by
8 him.

9 Since the execution of said bond
10 the said Wm D. Jones departed
11 this life having first made and
12 executed his last will and tes-
13 tament, and devised his entire
14 estate real and personal to the
15 following ~~children~~ persons viz:
16 Catherine Jones, B. D. Jones & M. Jones M. J.
17 James, Elizabeth Allen W. J. Cornack
18 & the infant heirs of S. C. Jones deceased
19 and subsequently and J. C. Chance
20 qualified in the Circuit Court of
21 Scott County Virginia as the ex-
22 ecutor thereof and still performs
23 the duties thereof of said office
24 Although he and the devisees of
25 said will are non-resident
26 except W. W. James and his
27 wife James, who re-
28 side in Washington County
29 Virginia

30 The object of this bill therefore
31 is to enforce said lien and sell

Execut. Catherine Jones D. D. Jones,
J. M. Jones, M. J. Jones, Elizabeth Allen,
W. J. Cammack & Thompson heirs of
D. D. Jones dec'd.

1 said land, or so much thereof
2 as may be necessary to pay the
3 amt. now due thereon

4 To effect - which he prays
5 that J. C. Chance executor of the
6 last will and testament of W. D.
7 Jones deceased, be made party
8 defendant hereto, and answer
9 the same, that a guardian ad litem
10 be appointed for the unknown heirs
11 of Samuel C. Jones, who are mi-
12 nor, and the aforesaid need not
13 answer upon oath that being ex-
14 pressly waived - That on a hearing
15 a decree be rendered directing so
16 much of said land sold as may
17 be necessary to pay the same. And
18 for all other further and general
19 relief - May supra is sub & c.

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 Oct. 2 5:00
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 \$40.46

P. Michael P
 H. C. Stearns

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 M. C. 76
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Bill Chy.

J. C. Chance Ex^r. et al

1891 1st June Rules Bill
 filed Order Publication
 against defendants et al
 " 2nd June Rules Cont'd
 " 17th July " "
 " 1st Aug Rules Cont'd
 " 2nd Aug Rules Order
 Pub. Comp. Fed + Case
 set for hearing by J. C.
 " Aug Term Decree for
 Sale + Continued
 1893. Nov. Term Decree
 final 873, 530.

To the Hon H. S. K Morrison Judge
of the Circuit Court of Lee
County Virginia

The Amended and supplemented
bill of H. C. Slump to a bill
heretofore filed by him against
J. C. Chance executor et al

Your orator by way of amend-
ment would state that since the
filing of his original bill the
other note mentioned by him has
fallen due, which is the note
due after seven years, and dated
Dec. 17 1887, and is for the sum of
two hundred dollars and interest
from its date - this debt is the
property of your complainant
and is wholly unpaid and now
due your orator. This note was
also executed by said Wm D. Jones

By way of further amendment
your orator will state, that he is
informed believes and charges that
by the original deed a lien was
retained for the purchase money
shown upon the face of said deed
to be due, and that if the original
deed does not show this that here

This money has been paid into Court by said Rail Road Company and is now in the hands of John R. Gilson who your crater is ignorant in being able to pay it over at any time so the same may be removed from the jurisdiction of the Court and your crater thereby suffer great loss, he says that the same be attached and liable to your crater's debt and the further order of this Court & to that end he makes said J. R. Gilson a party defendant.

has been some alteration and change made therein. But whether or not he is advised that Wm McGeorge Jr or S. Lawrence French can not complain because your crater charges that they have no conveyance for the land in the bill mentioned have no interest in it and cannot complain of the former decree.

Your crater further alleges that there are large debts due to said Jones, one from the Louisville & Nashville Rail Road Company a body corporate doing business under the ^{laws of Virginia} ~~form of~~ and style of to wit a debt of \$100. ~~That~~ that he the said Jones was the owner and his legacies are now under and by virtue of his last will and testament entitled to a large amount of stock and Bonds in the South Atlantic & Ohio Rail Road Company and is the owner of various tracts and parcels of Land in Lee Scott and well Counties in the State of Virginia, all which is liable for

and should be subjected to the payment of his debt and which is ample for that purpose.

This amended bill therefore is filed in behalf of your creditor and all other creditors who may come in and contribute their pro-rata of the cost & expense thereof. And its object is to marshal the assets and convene the creditors of said estate and to have an account of the executorial account of the said J. C. Chance executor of the estate of Wm D. Jones deceased, and the debts liabilities assets and effects of said Jones in said County made and had. That his estate in the hands of his legatee be subjected to the payment of his said debts so ascertained; and that your creditor two said claims be paid thereout of in the event said lien should be found not to exist, but the first object is to enforce said specific lien. And should your creditor be in any wise mistaken then that he have all such other further and general relief as he may be entitled to -

He prays therefore that J. C. Chance
executor of ^{the estate of} Wm D. Jones deceased
Catharine B. Jones John M. Jones Benj D.
Jones Elizabeth Allen M. J. Carmack
Wm McGeorge Jr. S. Lawrence French
Mary J. James ^{heirs who are to be exors}
and the infant ^{children of} ~~Wm D. Jones~~ ^{of}
S. C. Jones deceased, ^{against John A. Gibson} be made par-
ties defendant, hereto: that the adults
answer the same but they need not
do so upon oath that being expressly
waived. That publication be made
against the non residents and a guardian
ad litem be appointed for the infants
to answer & defend for them and on
a hearing your orators being for the
purchase money due him be en-
forced against the land in the bill
mentioned. That an account of the
executors ~~and~~ J. C. Chance be taken &
the assets in his hands be shown, that
the property debts & estate of the said
Jones in the hands of his said legates
be subject to the payment of his
debts and the sum or so much thereof
he shall as will pay the same And for
all the further general relief May your
wisdom please.

A. L. O'Neil

P. 9.

H. C. Kemp ^P

J. Amended
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Court & Cause set
for hearing by J. J.

H. C. Sleep

vs.

3 Lu. Ch.

See Circuit Ct

J. C. Chance & et al

The petition of Wm M^o George
Jr. and S. Lawrence French, in the
above styled cause pending in
the See Circuit Court, would respect-
fully represent that they are each the
owners in fee of a one half undivided
interest in the tract of land in
question, that they bought the same
free of any or all encumbrances,
and without any notice of this or any claim against the said land
and that the said C. Sleep, in
the plaintiffs bill mentioned, sold
and conveyed the said land by
deed dated Jan 12th 1888 to Wm D.
Jones (now deceased) and said deed
was duly recorded in See Co. D.B. 23
pg. 25-1. In said deed no lien what-
ever was retained for the unpaid
purchase money, as is stated in
plaintiffs bill, as will appear from a copy
of said deed which is filed herewith mark-
ed "^{Petitioners} ~~plaintiffs~~ 24, No 1" & is prayed to be read
as a part hereof - Wherefore petitioners say
their said land should not be subjected
to the payment of plaintiffs debt, of
which they pray judgment - and their proper costs &c

R. T. Jones
for Petitioners

H. C. Slump

vs $\frac{3}{4}$. Lurch

J. C. Chance Ex^{tr} chab

Petition of
Wm M^{al} George Jr

+
A Lawrence French

Supreme Court
H.C. Slump

vs $\frac{1}{2}$ Lu ch.

J.C. Chance & others

The defendant of Wm M^{rs} George
to a bill exhibited against him
& others in your honor said court
of Chancery in the above styled cause

For answer respondent says
that the plaintiffs said bill
is not sufficient in law, whereof
he prays judgment -

R. T. Loring
for respondent

H.C. Slump

vs { Document of
Wm M. ^{of} Geography

J.C. Chance Ex Libris

The separate answer of the unknown infant heirs of S. C. Jones, dec'd by A. M. Goins, their guardian ad litem, assigned to defend them in this suit, to a bill of complaint exhibited against them and others, in the circuit court for the County of Lee, by H. C. Slump.

The respondents, reserving to himself the benefit of all just exceptions to the said bill, for answer thereto, or so much thereof as they are advised that it is material they should answer, by their said guardian ad litem, answer and say:—

That they are infants of tender years, and by reason of their infancy are incapable of understanding, or of taking care of their rights and interests. They therefore, by their said guardian, commend themselves and their rights and interests to the protection of the court, and pray that no decree may be pronounced which will tend to their prejudice.

And having fully answered, the said respondents pray to be hence dismissed with their reasonable costs in this behalf expended, and they will ever pray &c.

A. M. Goins, Guardian ad litem
for the unknown heirs of S. C. Jones, dec'd.
Virginia:

Lee County, to wit:—

This day A. M. Goins personally appeared before me, E. N. Pennington, a notary public for the county and State aforesaid, and made oath that the statements contained in the above answer

to which his name is subscribed, so far as
made of his own knowledge, are true; and
so far as made from knowledge or informa-
tions derived from others, he believes to be true.

Given under my hand this 4th day of
Sept., 1891.

E. H. Framingham

Notary Public.

H. C. Slomph

vs. { Ans. of Guar. and return

J. C. Chance George & Co.

Filed Aug. Term 1891.

J. D. Wyatt

H. C. Kemp --- Plff } In Chy
against --- }
J. C. Chance ex et al

On the motion of
the plff, the Continuance heretofore granted
in this Cause is set aside - and on like
motion of the plff, leave is granted
him to withdraw the notes filed in the
Cause by leaving an attested office copy
And the plff has leave to prosecute
his said Claim in the Chancery Cause
of Wm Mac Geary Jr. against J. C. Chance
ex et al, ^{now pending in the Circuit Court of Wm Co Va} and then move his said
Claim if he is so advised - And this
Cause is stricken from the docket
with leave to either party to hereafter
re-estate the same on motion. and

H. C. Slump

vs } decree
} final.

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Entered C. O. B. p 530
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Nov 15 1893
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H. C. Slump - - - Plff.
against
J. C. Chance et al deft. } In Chur

On the motion
of the plff in this cause, and by
the consent of C. Slump by his atty
the said C. Slump is substituted
for the plff in this action and the
cause is to be hereafter prose-
cuted in his name and for his
benefit and the cause is continued

H. C. Kemp

23 Decr

J. C. Chance & Co

March 7. 1893

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Page 469.

March 16th 1893,

J. A. G. Hyatt

clerk.

Enter this

March 15-1893

H. S. K. M.

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H.C. Sleep

vs 3 In. Ch.

J.C. Chance Ex-parte

This cause coming
on this day to be heard upon the
~~bill~~ original bill of complainant,
and the amended bill, and ex-
hibits filed therewith, and the
demurrer thereto of Wm M^{rs} George Jr.
^{+joined in said demurrer}
and was argued by counsel, upon
consideration whereof, it appearing
to the court that the order of publica-
tion as to the heirs of S.C. Jones, decess-
ed was improvidently awarded,
~~it is ordered that this do and that~~
~~A Lawer~~ it is ordered that this cause
be remanded to rules as to them, there
to be properly returned, and it appear-
ing that no process has been served on
defendants Wm M^{rs} George Jr. and S. Lawrence
French on the amended bill, they by
their attorney, R. T. Irvine, enter their
appearance to the same and waive
service of process, and as to ^{the} other
defendants ~~this cause is continued~~
than the said heirs of S.C. Jones
deceased, this cause is continued.

H. C. Slump

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J. C. Chance Esq del
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June 15th 1892.
J. Hyatt

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H. S. K. M.

June 15 - 1892

H. C. Slump

vs

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J. C. Chance exr & adm

On motion of the plaintiff
~~B. H. Jewell~~ is appointed Guardian
ad Litem for the unknown infant
heirs of David C. Jones deceased
and on his motion leave is
granted him to file his answer
which is accordingly done, and
thereupon this cause came on
this day to be heard upon the
bill of the plaintiff and order
of publication duly posted & published
and the answer of ~~B. H. Jewell~~ ^{B. H. Jones}
guardian ad Litem of the unknown
infant heirs of David C. Jones deceased
& replication thereto & was argued
by counsel. On consideration of
which and for reason appearing
to the court it is adjudged, ordered
& decreed that H. C. Slump assignee
of J. C. Slump recover from J. C.
& Chance executor of the last
will & testament of Wm D Jones
deceased the sum of two hundred
dollars with legal interest thereon
from the 17th day of December 1887

till paid & the costs of this suit.
And it appearing to the court that
said sum is a purchase money lien
on the land in the bill mentioned
it is further adjudged, ordered
& decreed that unless the said
Chance or some one of the defendants
or some one for them pay the
said sum within 20 days
from the issuing of this order
then S. C. Sewell who is hereby
appointed a special Commissioner
for the purpose will sell the
said land in the bill mentioned
or so much thereof as may
be necessary to pay the same;
he will require so much paid
in hand as may be necessary
to pay the costs of suit & sale
& for the residue take bonds
payable to himself as court-
bearing interest from day of
sale with approved person-
al security; he will make
the sale at the front door
of the Court house of this
County ~~at~~ some Court day
by public outcry to the

highest bidder on a credit of
six & twelve months, but before
proceeding to sell he will
execute bond before the clerk
of this court in the penalty
of five hundred dollars with
approved security - conditioned to
duly perform his duties
hereunder. He will then
post notice for at least
30 days on the front door of
the Court house of this County
and at one or more public places
in said County, one of which
shall be in the neighborhood
of where the land lies setting
out time, terms, & place of
sale. He will report his
action to this at its next
term & the cause is continued.

H. C. Shank

W. J. Decker for

J. C. Chambers et al

August 2/89-

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Q. B. 353+4

Sept 3/89-

J. C. Chambers et al

Enter this

H. C. Shank

Sept 4/89-

Virginia
Lee County to wit: -

D. C. Swell This day personally appeared before me, and made oath in due form that the Defendants in the Chancery Cause of D. C. Swell vs J. C. Chance Exr. &c. - are now residents of this State viz J. C. Chance Exr of W. D. Jones decd, Catharine B. Jones, John M. Jones, Benj. D. Jones, Elizabeth Allen, W. J. Carmack are the Unknown Infant heirs of D. C. Jones decd.

Given under my hand
this 28th day of May 1891,
J. A. Hyatt

H. C. Slump

vs ~~3~~ Affidavit

J. C. Chance Ex et al

Filed May 26/89/.

J. H. Hyatt

Wm. McGeorge Jr. ^{plff}
vs
John M Jones ^{3 In Chy} & also Depts
Upon motion
of plff by attorney Jos L Kelly
is appointed guardian ad litem
for the infant defendants John
Jones Ella Jones & R. Jones and
permits to file his answer which
is accordingly done and this cause
coming on this Sept 20th 1893 to
be heard upon the bill of com-
plaint and exhibits filed therewith
the demurrer & answer of J. C. Chance
Executor of the last will & testament
of Wm. D Jones Decd & the said answer
of the infant defendants by their
said guardian ad litem was argued
by counsel, upon consideration
whereof it is adjudged ordered &
decreed that this cause be & it is
humily referred to H. A. W. Sherman one
of the commissioners of this court
who shall ascertain & report
1st all the assets real personal &
mixed of which the said Wm D Jones
dec'd decd possessed or entitled to
and what specific liens if any

existing in any part thereof
and all the liabilities of said Jones
due at the time of his death and
what order of priority if any existed
in connection with said liabilities
3d The executorial accounts of J.C.
Chance Esq; what sums he has
collected & from what source, what
payments he has made and to whom
& for what purpose & all other mat-
ters pertaining to a full complete
settlement of said executorial accounts
4th The probable deficiency, if any, in
the personal assets compared to
the liabilities; and when any
specific lien exists the probable
excess or deficiency as the case may
be in the amount secured com-
pared with the value of the prop-
erty upon which the lien exist
and if there should be any real
assets unincumbered, the prob-
able value thereof
5th The amounts due on the bonds
in the bill & answer of Asst Chance
as mentioned and the question of
usury raised by said answer; also
the right of the executor to be recouped

for the sum claimed in said answer to have been paid by him as interest on said bonds. "Any and all other matters not hereinbefore set out specifically which may be deemed by the court pertinent to be reported on or which may be required by any party interested here to

All questions raised by the answer of Capt Chance ~~et al~~ as to the right of the plaintiffs to prosecute this suit as a separate suit from the cause now pending in this court of Wm M George Jr vs J. C. Chance ~~et al~~ are especially reserved and for the present remain undisposed of.

It is further ordered that all other parties who in this or any other courts of this state have instituted or who may hereafter institute any suit having for its object the account & settlement ordered in this cause be and they are hereby enjoined and restrained from any further proceedings thereunder, but they shall

dismiss said cause or causes
& cause into this suit before
the commissioner herein

Said commissioner shall give
legal notice of the time place &
object of his sittings & shall report
his actions hereunder to the next
term of this court & this cause
is continuing

Virginia In Wise Circuit Court
Clerk's Office: This is to certify that
the above decree is a true copy
of the decree as rendered in
the Circuit Court of Wise County
at Sept Term 1893.

Teste W. E. Helgerson Clerk
By A. S. Hogue D.C.

Three years after date I promise to pay
to C. Sloop two hundred dollars with
interest from date for value received
of him in land witness my hand and
seal this the 7th day of December 1887.
J^m D. Jones, (Seal)

A. Coby. - Leste.

J. A. G. Hyatt, deputy for A. B. Munsey,
Clerk

On the back of this note the following endorse-
ments occur:

For value received I assign the within
note to Henry H. Morris this the 4th day of
May 1888.

C. Sloop.

For value received I assign the within note
to Henry C. Sloop this the 4th day of March
1889.

H. H. Morris

For value received I assign the within note
to W. K. Armstrong cash and guarantee the
payment thereof at maturity, Jan'y 10 1890
Henry C. Sloop

For value received I assign the within note
to Henry C. Sloop without recourse upon
me in law or equity. March 20th 1891
W. K. Armstrong,
Cash &c

A Copy

By H. J. M.

Leste J. A. G. Hyatt deputy for
A. B. Munsey clerk

H. C. Slump

vs { Copy of notes No. 1.

J. C. Chance Ex vs

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Four years after date I promise
to pay to C. Shemp or order two hun-
dred dollars with interest from date
for value received of him in land
witness my hand and seal this the
17th day of December 1887.

Wm D. Jones (Seal)

H. C. Slump

vs } copy of note No. 2.

J. C. Chance Exr &c

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Genl. Pridemore —
Be certain to get an
order to withdraw the
two notes against Mr
D. Jones. & send to
me at once that
I may file them
in that Orditors
Bill & if you think
best you can dismiss
the suit or leave copies
of the notes in the office
Nov 14-1893

C. S. Slocum

Gent, Pride
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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we

D. C. Sewell
and J. A. G. Hyatt
are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the sum of *Six*
Hundred ——— dollars, to the payment whereof, well and truly

to be made to the said Commonwealth of Virginia, we bind ourselves and each of us, our
and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these
presents, hereby waiving the benefit of our homestead exemptions as to this obligation,
and any claim, right, or privilege to discharge any liability arising under this bond, or by
virtue of said office or trust, in any currency, funds, counter claims or offsets other than
legal-tender currency of United States. Sealed with our seals, and dated *1st* day
of *October*, one thousand eight hundred and *Ninety one*

The Condition of The Above Obligation is Such, That if the above bound
D. C. Sewell
shall faithfully perform the duties of *his* office or trust, as *Cour.*

under a decree of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee, pronounced on the *4th*
day of *Sept*, 1891, in the suit therein depending
under the name and style of *D. C. Sewell* Plaintiff

vs. *J. C. Chance & Co* Defendant
and properly account for all sums of money *he* may receive as
such *Commissioner*

then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in the
presence of

D. C. Sewell (SEAL.)

J. A. G. Hyatt security (SEAL.)

(SEAL.)

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee

This day

suret on the above bond, made oath before me J. A. G. Hyatt, Clerk of the Circuit
Court of the County of Lee, that
estate after the payment of all just debts, and those
for which bound as securit for others, and expect to have
to pay worth the sum of

dollars.

Given under my hand this day of 18

Teste: _____ Clerk.

H. C. Slank

3 Bond

vs 3 of Curren

J. C. Chance Exor et al

Filed Oct. 1st 1891,

J. A. Syrett C.

W. D. Jones

To } Note \$200.00
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C. Slump

To be paid in
rent of H. C. Slump
in Dec. when same
falls due.
P.

If not delivered in 5 days to be returned to

A. L. PRIDEMORE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
JONESVILLE, LEE CO., VA.

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$$\begin{array}{r} 200 \\ 6 \\ \hline 1200 \\ 5 \\ \hline 260.00 \end{array}$$

See the Decree
under which
Comm. Steamers is
acting. Important

Price of cars
94 C 15.46
 57.00
 57.00
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 76
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H.C. Slump

vs

J.C. Chance et al

Grounds of Decree

1st In amended bill Mrs W^{ce} George Jr +
S. Lawrence, ^{Trust} are parties, but not included
in O.P. + not before the Court

2nd No affidavit that the infant heirs
of S.E. Jones dec'd are unknown.

3rd No right to join Lien + Creditors Bill
- No grounds for Creditors bill.

as to nature of Cred. Bill See 4 Min. 1247 or refs -

also Bart. ch. Pr. pg 177. 270.

" " " " 277 on Mesdaling assets &c

not said
50/12

v. 6. 3230

or.

H.C. Sleep

23 } Grounds of
} Demerit

J.C. Chauncey ^{the}

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee on the 26th day of

May 1891.

H. C. Slump

Plaintiff

against

J. C. Chancey & Co. et al

Defendants

In Chancery

The object of this suit is to enforce the purchase money lien set out in the Bill, against the land therein mentioned and to have a sufficiency thereof sold, as will pay said lien and the costs of this suit.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants J. C. Chancey & Co. of W. D. Jones decd., Catharine B. Jones, John M. Jones, Benj. D. Jones, Elizabeth Allen, Co. J. Learmuck and the infant unknown heirs of S. C. Jones residents of the State of Virginia, is

ordered that they do appear here, within fifteen days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four week's in some newspaper, and that a copy be forthwith posted at the front door of the court-house of this county.

A copy—Teste:

A. L. Pridmore

p. q.

J. A. S. Hyatt

Clerk.

H. C. Sloup
3rd Order Pub
No 3

J. C. Chance

I certify that I
delivered to the
Lee County Republican
an office copy of
this order for Pub-
lication & posted
a like copy thereof
on the front door
Lee County Court
house on the
first day June
term Lee County
Court 1891.

J. A. Wyatt

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee on the 4th day of

February 1892

Henry C. Slump

Plaintiff

against

J. C. Chance Eyr. & et al

Defendant

In Chancery

The object of this suit is to, *on an amended Bill, enforce the collection of \$400.00 and legal interest + costs of two notes executed by Wm D. Jones in his life time to C. Slump for land and to subject to the payment thereof the land in the Bill mentioned, to have the Secretaries account of J. C. Chance Eyr of Wm D Jones settled, and marshal the assets + annul the creditors of said estate &c &c &c*

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants *J. C. Chance Eyr of Wm D. Jones dead, Catherine B. Jones, B. D. Jones, J. M. Jones, Elizabeth Allen W. L. Carmaek & the infant unknown heirs of J. C. Jones late of the State of Virginia, it is*

ordered that *they* do appear here, within *fifteen days* after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect *their* interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four week's in some newspaper, and that a copy be forthwith posted at the front door of the court-house of this county.

A copy—Teste:

A. L. Pidemore p. q.

J. A. Hyatt Clerk.

J. L. Slough

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J. L. Chance Esr

I certify that I
delivered an office
copy of this order
to Lee County Rep.

for pub. and posted
a like copy thereof
at the Court house

door of Lee County
on the first day
of Feby term 1892

J. A. Hyatt

The Commonwealth of Virginia.

Sargum, in the Corporation of Bristol Va
To The Sheriff Of Lee County Greeting:

We Command You to Summon

*J. C. Chance Executor
of the last will and Testament of Wm L.
Jones deceased, Catharine B. Jones, John
M. Jones, Ben. D. Jones, Elizabeth
Ellen, M. J. Garinack, Wm. McGeorge Jr.
S. Laurence French, The Infant unknown
heirs of S. B. Jones deceased and
Mary J. Jones*

To appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, at the Courthouse on the first Monday
in *March* next, being rule day to answer a bill in Chancery exhibited in our said Court
against *them* by *Henry C. Slamp*

And have then and there this writ. Witness, J. A. G. Hyatt, Clerk of said Court at the Courthouse.
This *4th* day of *February* 1892, in the 11th year of the Commonwealth.

J. A. G. Hyatt Clerk.

A Copy Teste

H. L. Sleep
4 1/2 ka in clay
no new amendment
J. L. Chance Esq. Sta

To 1st March Rules 1892

Executed This the
11th day of Feby
1892 by delivering
an office copy of
the within Sum-
mons to Mary J
James in the city
of Bristol Va

W. J. Cox
Sergeant
of Bristol City

Virginia, Lee Co. To-wit:

I Geo. C. Coleman, the
editor and publisher of the
Lee County Republican,
a newspaper printed in the
town of Jonesville, the county
of Lee, Virginia, do hereby
certify that the foregoing order
of publication was duly pub-
lished in said newspaper,
for four successive weeks,
from and after the 11th day of
Feb. 1892. Edwiny. 11, day Mar. 1892.
Geo. C. Coleman
Editor and Publisher

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit
Court of the County of Lee on the 4th
day of February 1892.

Henry C. Slem, Plaintiff.

vs. } In-
J. C. Chance Exr. &c. et al Defts. } cery.

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subject to the payment thereof the land
in the Bill mentioned, to have the exec-
utorial account of J. C. Chance, Exr. of
Wm. D. Jones settled, and marshal the
assets and convey the creditors of said
estate, &c., &c., &c.

And an affidavit having been made
and filed that the defendants J. C. Chance,
Exr. of Wm. B. Jones, deceased, Cath-
arine B. Jones, B. D. Jones, J. M. Jones,
Elizabeth Allen, W. J. Carmack and the
infant unknown heirs of S. C. Jones are
non residents of the State of Virginia, it
is ordered that they do appear here with-
in fifteen days after due publication
hereof, and do what may be necessary to
protect their interest in this suit. And
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be published once a week for four week's
in some newspaper, and that a copy
be forthwith posted at the front door of
the courthouse of this county.

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J. A. G. Hyatt, Clerk.

A. L. Pridemore, p. q.

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Amer. C. Group Plff

vs

J. C. Chance Exr et al
Defrs.

Printer's fee \$5.00

In the Clerk's Office of the County of
Lee on the 26th day of May 1891.

H. C. Slemp Plaintiff	} Inchan- cery
J. C. Chance Exr. at al Defen- dants	

The object of this suit is to enforce the purchase money lien set out in the Bill against the land therein mentioned and to have a sufficiency thereof sold as will pay said lien and the cost of this suit.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants J. C. Chance Exr of W. D. Jones deed Cathrine B Jones, John M. Jones Benj D. Jones Elizabeth Allin, V. J. Carmack and the infant unknown heirs of S. C. Jones are non residents of the State of Virginia it is ordered that they do appear here in 15 days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four weeks in some newspaper, and that a copy be forthwith posted at the front door of the court-house of this county.

A copy -Teste:

A. L. Pridemore	p. q. J. A. G. Hyatt
18-22	Clerk.

J. H. Hobbs
I, Geo. W. Blankenship, Editor of the LEE COUNTY RE-
PUBLICAN, a weekly newspaper published in the town of
Jonesville, and County of Lee, hereby certify that the fore-
going Order of Publication was duly published in the above
named paper for four successive weeks ending

July 21st 1891.
J. H. Hobbs,

Editor LEE Co., REPUBLICAN

W. L. Slank
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J. C. Chance & Co

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